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IF THE ASSERTIONS ARE TRUE, WHICH AMERICAN LEADERS LOVE TO REPEAT, THAT IN THE US ALL SECRETS ARE PUBLIC, THAT THE PUBLIC THERE IS FULLY INFORMED ABOUT EACH STEP OF THE GOVT AND OTHER OFFICIAL ESTABLISHMENTS, THEN HOW WOULD THE US GOVT ANSWER, FOR EXAMPLE, THE QUESTIONS:

DID THE AMERICAN PEOPLE OR OTHER HIGHER ORGANS SUCH AS THE USA CONGRESS KNOW ABOUT THE PROVOCATIVE FLIGHTS OF THE AMERICAN U-2 PLANES WITHIN BORDERS OF USSR? APPARENTLY THEY DID NOT KNOW UNTIL THESE FLIGHTS WERE EXPOSED, UNTIL THE GUILTY WERE CAUGHT RED-HANDED.

PERHAPS IT WAS WITH THE APPROVAL OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE THAT ATMOIC BOMBS WERE DROPPED ON HIROSHIMA AND NAGASAKI? NO, THE AMERICAN PEOPLE KNEW NOTHING ABOUT PREPARATIONS FOR THIS INHUMANE ACT AND AS FAR AS IT IS KNOWN, CONDEMNS IT.

FINALLY WERE THE AMERICAN PEOPLE REALLY ASKED WHEN THE RECENT AGGRESSION AGAINST CUBA WAS PREPARED AND ORGANIZED FROM THE TERRITORY OF AND WITH SUPPORT OF THE US? NO, THAT WAS KEPT FROM THE AMERICAN PEOPLE AS A DEEP SECRET.

ALL THESE FACTS, APPARENTLY, EASILY FIND A PLACE IN UNDERSTANDINGS OF A "FREE" AND "OPEN" SOCIETY AS ADVERTISED IN THE NOTE OF THE AMERICAN GOVT, BUT THERE IS NO PLACE FOR THEM WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF A GENUINELY FREE AND GENUINELY OPEN SOCIETY.

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IT HAS LONG BEEN KNOWN THAT SEVERAL FOREIGN MILITARY STAFFS EXPECT THAT THE SOVIET UNION WOULD OPEN ITS NATIONAL BORDERS AND FACILITATE SPY ACTIVITIES ON SOVIET TERRITORY. GOVTS OF WESTERN POWERS OFTEN PAY TRIBUTE TO THE DEMANDS OF THESE ORGANS AND SUPPORT THEIR LINE IN INTERNATIONAL NEGOTIATIONS.

IS THIS NOT TESTIFIED TO IN PARTICULAR BY THE PERSISTENT DEMANDS OF WESTERN POWERS TO EXPAND IN EVERY WAY POSSIBLE NUMBER OF ON SITE INSPECTIONS, HAVING INQUIRED INTO CONDITIONS ABOUT SUSPENSION OF NUCLEAR TESTS ON TERRITORY OF USSR? JUDGING BY EVERYTHING, GOVT OF US IS PREPARED TO SACRIFICE TO THE INTERESTS OF INTELLIGENCE, THE INTEREST OF ACHIEVING AGREEMENT ON SUSPENSION OF EXPLOSIONS OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS.

SOVIET GOVT HAS ALREADY REPEATEDLY DECLARED THAT IT IS READY TO INTRODUCE FOR ITS PART ALL CONTROL MEASURES WHICH WILL BE NECESSARY FOR IMPLEMENTING AGREEMENT ON CESSATION OF NUCLEAR WEAPON TESTS. HOWEVER, SOVIET GOVT CONSIDERS IT NECESSARY TO AGAIN EMPHASIZE THAT IT WILL NEVER AGREE THAT CONTROL BE CARRIED OUT IN ISOLATION FROM DISARMAMENT, AND WHAT HAS BEEN REPRESENTED AS CONTROL OVER ARMAMENTS WHICH US IS TRYING TO ACHIEVE OVER A PERIOD OF MANY YEARS INCLUDING FROM PLATFORM OF UNITED NATIONS.

AT THE SAME TIME THE SOVIET UNION STATES THAT IT ITSELF WILL NEVER AGREE TO ANY DISARMAMENT MEASURE WITHOUT EFFECTIVE CONTROL OVER THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THESE MEASURES. THE SOVIET GOVT WILL NOT EMBARK ON DISARMAMENT WITHOUT CONTROL BECAUSE BITTER EXPERIENCE HAS TAUGHT IT NOT TO RELY UPON HONEST WORD OF ITS WESTERN PARTNERS TO AGREEMENTS.

SOVIET GOVT FINALLY ADHERES TO VIEWS WHICH WERE SET FORTH IN ITS AIDE MEMOIRE OF JUNE 4 OF THIS YEAR. IT WOULD HOPE THAT GOVT OF US WILL CORRECTLY UNDERSTAND VIEWPOINT OF SOVIET UNION BECAUSE THIS WILL HELP TO FIND A BASIS FOR

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ACHIEVING AGREEMENT BOTH ON PROBLEM OF GENERAL AND COMPLETE
DISARMAMENT, AS WELL AS ON QUESTION OF SUSPENSION OF TESTS
OF ATOMIC AND HYDROGEN WEAPONS.

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